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THURSDAY..... OCTOBER 7, 1858.

Hon. Wm. Preston—The Mission to Spain

The Administration of Mr. Buchanan has conferred no appointment which will give more general satisfaction to the whole country than that of Col. Preston to the Spanish mission. He is favorably known throughout the Union as a man of great ability, and well qualified for executive, legislative, or diplomatic service. Combining, as he does, all the requisites for a successful diplomatist, we feel well-assured that his already wide-spread reputation would be greatly increased by the fruits which are likely to be produced from his exertions at the Court of Spain should he conclude to accept the appointment. In view of the acquisition of Cuba, immediate or remote, it is of course the object of the national government to have our country always represented by its ablest men at that Court: and on that account we regard the mission to Spain as second to no other foreign mission.

We do not, of course, know whether Col. Preston will accept the appointment of new大使 or not. He has thousands of enthusiastic friends throughout the State, who would gladly have him make the race for Governor of Kentucky. There is not a Democrat in the State who will not be delighted to know that the nation's executive has recognized so laudably his ability and his services to the Democratic cause. It remains with him to decide whether he will obey the call of the government now made upon his services in behalf of the whole country, or whether he will now his friends to present his name to the 8th of January Convention as a candidate for the nomination for governor, with a very fair prospect of success. We suppose his friends will be satisfied with his decision. Should he consent to accept the appointment, no man will have ever gone abroad under more favorable auspices than he. On the other hand, if nominated for Governor, a success would be certain by an impressive majority. It is but seldom that fate, fortune showers her favors so lavishly upon the head of so many; and we know of no one who will wear his laurels more modestly, or act in such a species more gently, than Col. Preston.

COUNTY CONVENTIONS.—The Democrats of Henry and of Mercer counties both held meetings on Monday last. Their proceedings will be found in another part of this paper. Such meetings appear the action of the Central Committee in elongating the time of holding the State Convention to the eighth of January. The Mass. Democracy recommended their distinguished fellow citizen, Hon. Beriah Magoffin, for the nomination for Governor. Indulgedly of his great merits and qualifications for the post, Mr. Magoffin has a strong hold upon his party, from the fact that he was second in command in the memorable campaign of 1856—shaving for the good of the cause only accepted nomination for Lieutenant Governor, and left to him by the convention without his knowledge or consent, and doing battle bravely against all the odds against him in the cause.

VERITAS.

[For the Yeoman]

MASONIC CEREMONY.—A few days ago our friend, Mr. C. Blackburn, bound in a sack of Rio coffee, a copper medal, bearing upon one side the representation of the tenth of a Knight Templar, surmounted with the crown and cross, and surrounded with the motto "In hoc signo vinces"; on the reverse, in a wreath, the number "20". This has been stamped over the number "40". There is a motto on this side, but the metal has become much worn as to make it illegible. The date is "1858." The peculiar significance of this medal will be appreciated by all Masons who have attained the degree of Knight Templar.

The above is from the Covington Journal. It is my opinion, Mr. Editor, to goad to fine an article, but the Masonic Orders, and, especially, the Order of Knights Templars, can gain nothing by an entry, for such you will conclude is the claim of Mr. Blackman, upon examination.

I have in my collection of coins several such as have been described by Mr. Blackman, as found in a sack of Rio coffee. That which he describes as "the tenth of a Knight Templar, surmounted with the crown and cross," is the coat of arms of Beauz, an arm of the shire of Beaujolais, emblematic of the State, and the cross of religion, the two State and Church, united. By imperial decree these arms are borne on the standard and colors of the country. The motto "In hoc signo vinces," is not peculiar to the Order of Knights Templars. The British and Greek Churches frequently employ it, and several Roman Catholic governments employ it upon their coins. Among these Beaujolais is the cause coin called "Tenth." This Masonic ceremony is simply a Byzantium variation or cipher pose of about the value of a cent.

The history of the motto—"In hoc signo vinces"—is this: In A. D. 312, during one of Constantine's sieges, he had a vision of a luminous cross in the heavens, on which was inscribed the following words, in Greek: "By this sign thou shalt conquer." The cross became the imperial standard; and the motto, Latinized—"In hoc signo vinces"—was adopted by the Knight Templars, and the crusaders of all nations, and on coins of different Roman Catholic countries. The first notice of Knight Templars in the records of the Order is in the "Archives of the Order of Knights Templars," in the year 1119, in which they are mentioned as being in the service of the Holy Land.

Yet on the 22d of March, 1753, an act of Congress was passed authorizing the half-penny coin, to be coined in the year of our Lord, 1754, to be payable in five years, to the value of one cent, and the like sum in the next six years, to the value of one cent, and so on, until the value of the coin should be one cent. This act was passed in the 17th year of the reign of King George II, and it is still in force.

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